to Non-manufacturing Activities, w.e.f. 22-9-88. However, on consideration of representations received from the State Governments, various Chambers of Commerce and entrepreneurs, the Government has recently advised the State Government that Subsidy disbursed by State Governments to non-manufacturing activities by 30-9-1989 and to manufacturing activities by 31-12-89 provided that the Projects were approved by the Approval Committee, i.e. the State Level Committee on the District Level Committee, as the case may be, on or before 30th September, 1988, that is, during the validity of the Central Investment Subsidy Scheme, will be eligible for reimbursement by Central Government.

Setting up of Industries in Tripura

1374. SHRI NARAYAN KAR: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up some industries in Tripura during the Eighth Plan period;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) how many of these will be gas-based?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) to (c) The Eighth Five Year Plan is still to be finalised.

Confirmation in service of the employees in the Delhi State Industrial Development Corporation

1375. SHRI SHAMIM AHMED SIDDIQI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what are the categories of employees at present working in the Delhi State Industrial Development Corporation;

(b) what is the period after which the employees in this organisation are confirmed in service or made permanent;

(c) what is the number of employees who have been confirmed during the last 17 years since the inception of the Delhi State Industrial Development Corporation, category-wise; and

(d) if no confirmation has so far been made in this Corporation, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) According to Delhi Administration, there are 4 categories of employees viz. Group A, B, C, & D in Delhi State Industrial Development Corporation, on the Government of India pattern.

(b) to (d) According to the Delhi State Industrial Development Corporation, registered under the Companies Act, 1956, there is no practice of creating temporary or permanent posts, and confirming employees against such permanent posts. However, employees of the Corporation are initially placed on probation for a period of either one year or two years as prescribed for different grades. On completion of the probationary period and being found suitable, the employees are regularised by the Corporation. The number of regularised employees is 57,53,568 and 233 in Groups A, B, C and D respectively; the number of employees on probation is 1, 2, 8 and 2 in Groups A, B, C and D respectively.

Incentive-oriented schemes for NRIs

1376. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI:
DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY:
SHRI CHANDRIKA PRASAD TRIPATHI:
SHRI BHAGATRAM MANHAR:
SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that response to the various incentive-oriented schemes for the NRIs has not been encouraging